

## Great Basin Incident Commander Fire Update



**Date:** July 31, 2021

**Note taker:** Kara Stringer/Richard Anderson

**GB MAC/GACC Coordinator:**

Agenda/Incident Commander Discussion Points: **Summarize the following in 4 min or less:**

- Fire Size / % contained / # of people / Cost to date
- Significant changes since the last 209
- BRIEF fire synopsis /Critical Incident Information (use Directional vs DIVS's)
- Political Issues / Community Meetings
- Closures / Evacuations / Public Safety Issues
- Major Safety Concerns / Injuries / Accidents
- Critical Resource Needs
- Resources Available to Reassign/Share/Demobilize

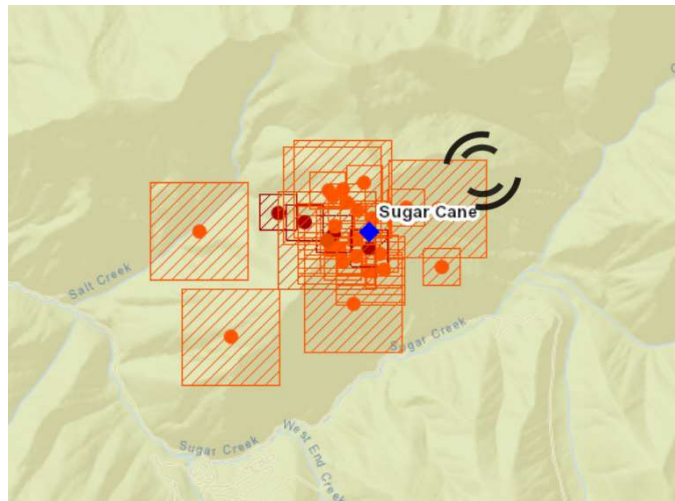
### New Incidents

**NEW**  
**Sugar Cane**  
**ID-PAF**

**IC3: Brian Manson**

**Report Out:**  
**Tom Schultz - DO**

- 80 acres/ 0% contained/ 38 People/ \$UNK Cost to Date
- Changes: Initial
- Synopsis: Fire started on 07.30.2021, 32 mi. E of McCall, ID. Fire was heavily engaged yesterday with aircraft and attempting to keep in check today with continued air support until anticipated precipitation arrives, then engage with crews.
- Political Issues: Residences and commercial structures at Stibnite, offices, vehicles, active mine, and airstrip.
- Closures/Evacuations: None
- Safety Concerns: None
- Critical Needs: 1-2 T1/T2IA Crews
- Available Resources: None

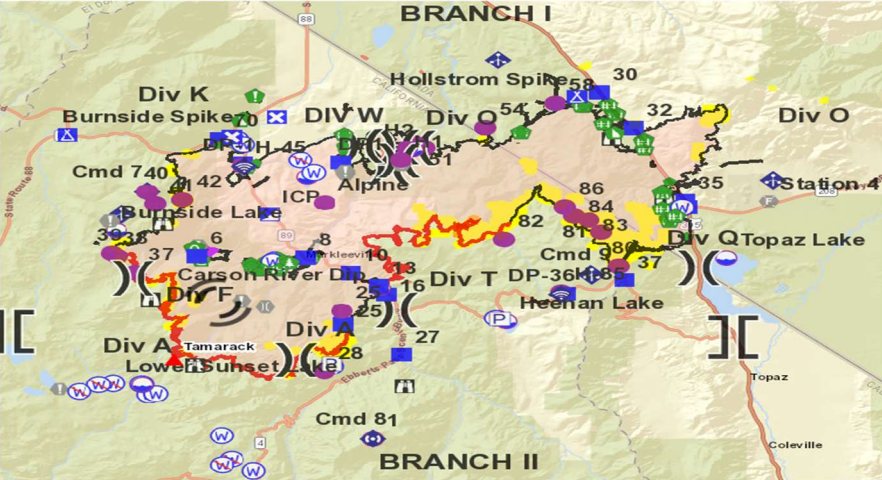


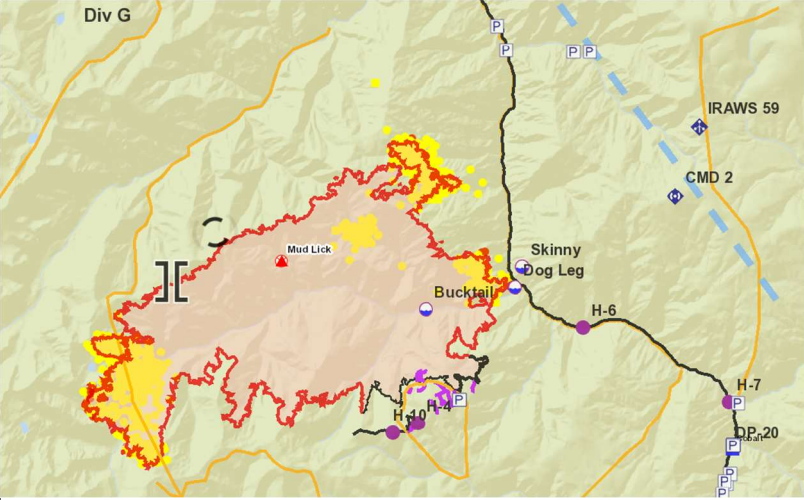
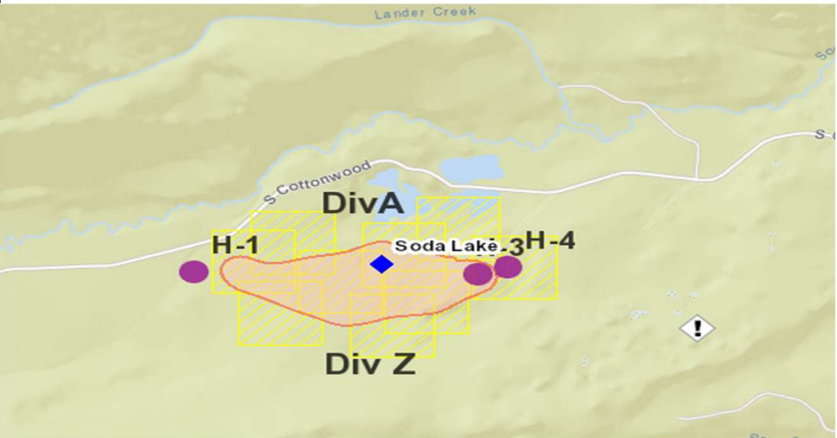
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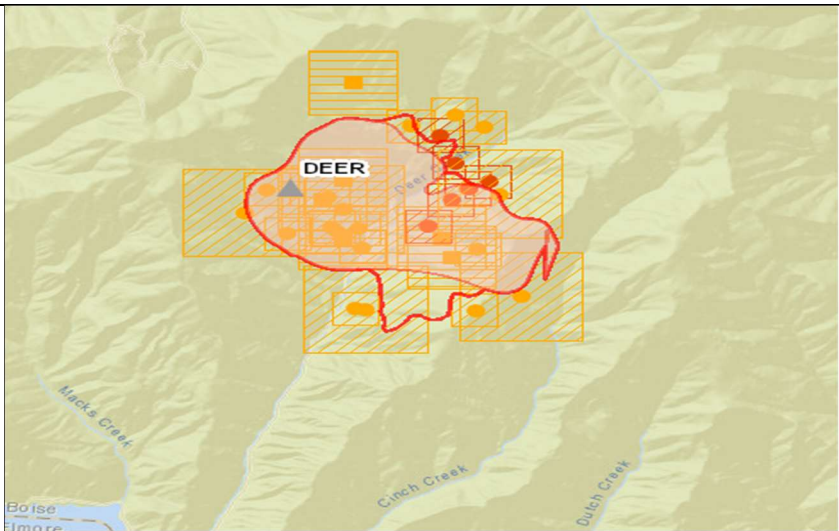
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**Tamarack**  
**NV-HTF**

**T1 IMT RB Team:**

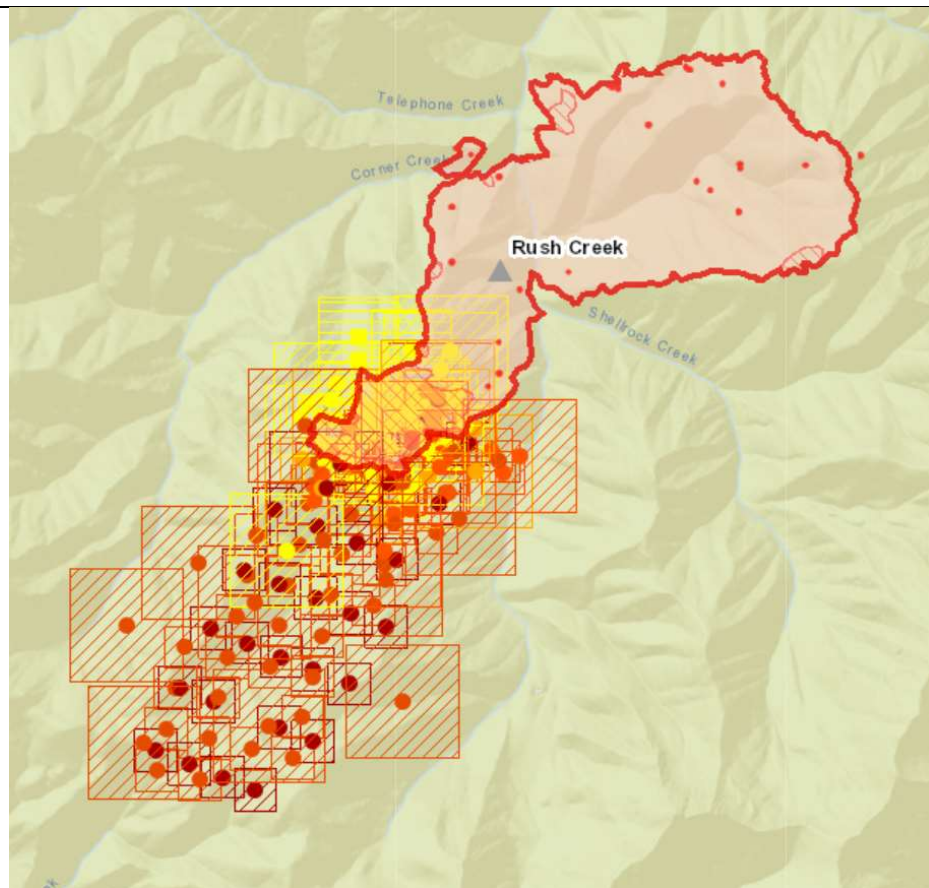
- 68,696 acres/ 79% Contained/ 679 People/ \$23.7M Cost to Date
- Changes: 14% increased containment.
- Synopsis: Glidepath to transition to T3 Team on Tuesday, with meeting scheduled for Monday, at 1900. Continued efforts to improve the fire line, rehab, and add depth are

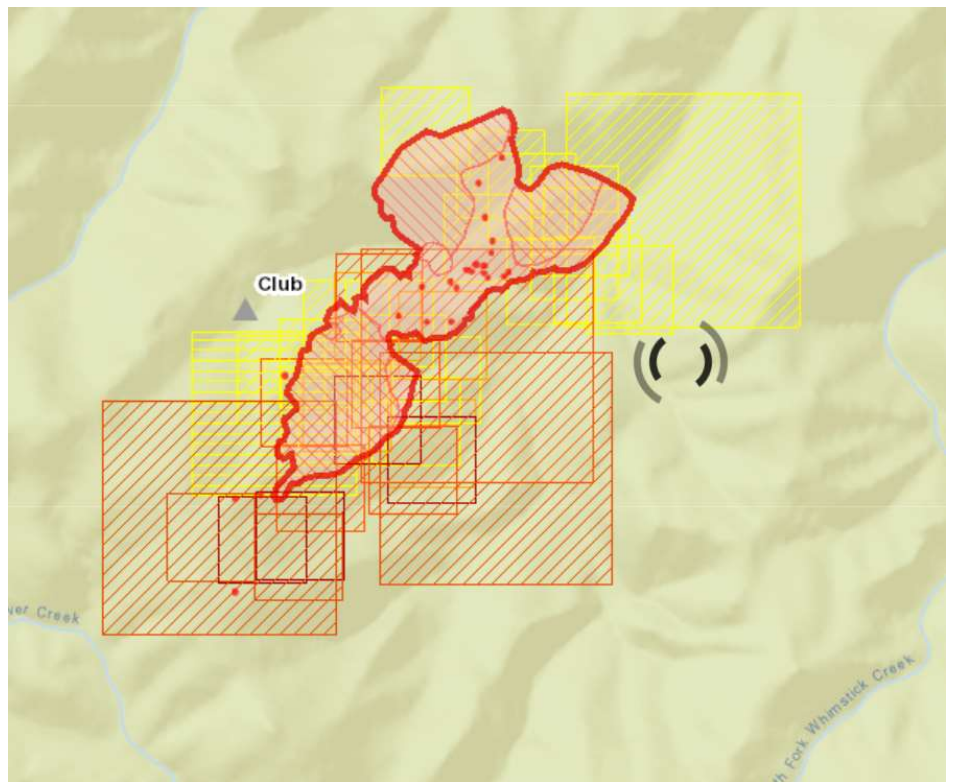
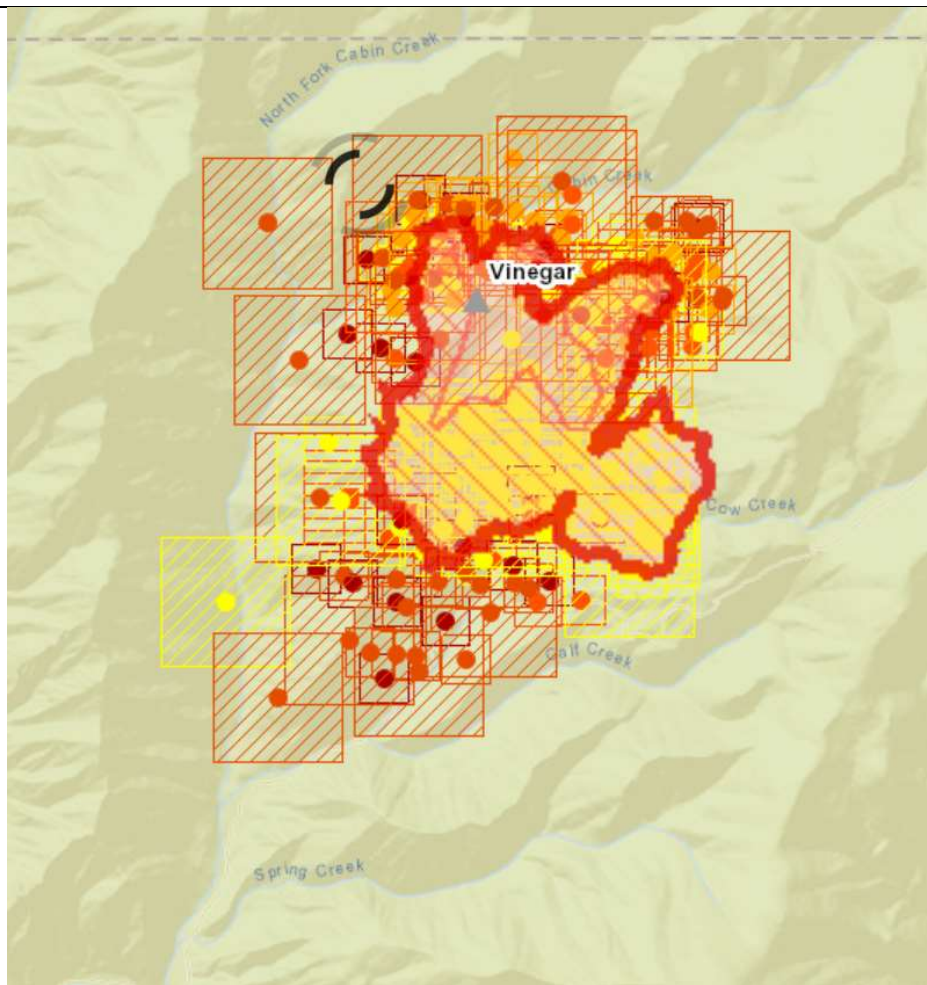
<p><b>Dan Dallas IC</b></p> <p><b>Report Out:</b> <b>Bill Hahnenberg</b></p>	<p>ongoing, focusing along 395. The SW edge (DIV A) of the fire will be managed with a confinement/monitor strategy using WFM. Containment reached on S side of the fire.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Political Issues: Last community meeting is scheduled for Monday. Power company attempting to restore power smaller affected communities.</li> <li>• Closures/Evacuations: None</li> <li>• Injuries/Accidents: None</li> <li>• Safety Concerns: Snags, Urban interface, Flash Flood Warning.</li> <li>• Critical Needs: None</li> <li>• Resources Available: Resources timing out/demobilizing with transition glidepath.</li> </ul> 
<p><b>2</b> <b>Mud Lick</b> <b>ID-SCF</b></p> <p><b>ICT2: GB Team 2</b> <b>Tony DeMasters</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acres: 19,625 acres /80% Completed/ 396 People/ \$13.7M Cost to Date</li> <li>• 209 Changes: Fire growth of 494 acres and 10% increased completion. Transition to GB Team 7 on Sunday, in-brief scheduled for 1800.</li> <li>• Synopsis: Fire is 23 miles W. of Salmon, ID. Panther Creek area of the fire is being held with bucket work, with ongoing point protection in the wilderness. Primary direct line is completed, alternate line is in progress. N: Fire growth towards Grant Ridge. SW: Fire growth towards Deer Creek Drainage.</li> <li>• Political issues: High recreation area, mining district (Blackbird and Cobalt), grazing allotments, road closures, fisheries, green tag hunting season, infrastructure.</li> <li>• Community meetings: Co-op meetings will be Mondays/Wednesdays/Fridays.</li> <li>• Closures: Trail closures are in place. Road closures: Panther Creek Rd. (down to the Porphyry Creek), Forest RD 113 (towards Bighorn Craggs), FS 021-101 (Williams Creek Rd. to Panther Creek. Rd.), 242, 098, and 020. Bighorn Craggs Camping Area closed. Panther Creek evacuation changed to "Ready".</li> <li>• Injuries/Accidents: None</li> <li>• Safety Issues: Excessive speeds on narrow roads, logging operations along ridge roads, snags, limited access, public access around heavy equipment, Flash Flood Watch.</li> <li>• Critical Needs: 1-HEQB, 2-SEC1, 2-Logging Trucks, DECK, HEBM, RASO, Feller/Buncher, SOFR, SOF2, COMT</li> <li>• Available Resources: Resources timing out/demobilizing.</li> </ul>

	
<p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>Soda Lake</b> <b>WY-BTF</b></p> <p><b>ICT3 Adam Hansen</b></p> <p><b>Report Out:</b> <b>Aaron Radford</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 97 acres/ 5% contained/ 130 People/ \$800K Cost to Date</li> <li>• Changes: None – no precipitation received yesterday.</li> <li>• Synopsis: Fire started at on 07.27.2021, 20 mi. E. of Afton, WY. The fire is smoldering in with some torching in heavy timber. Line construction ongoing today, hope to complete it by end of shift.</li> <li>• Political Issues: Oil/gas facilities, ranches, residences threatened.</li> <li>• Closures/Evacuations: Forest area closure.</li> <li>• Safety Concerns: Snags, weather, terrain.</li> <li>• Critical Needs: Aviation support, SOFR, MEDL, Line Medic</li> <li>• Available Resources: None</li> </ul> 
<p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Deer</b> <b>ID-BOF</b></p> <p><b>ICT3 B. Rojas</b></p> <p><b>Report Out:</b> <b>Ryan Green</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 860 acres/ 25% contained/ 215 People/ \$787K Cost to Date</li> <li>• Changes: Fire growth of 20 acres and 20% increased containment.</li> <li>• Synopsis: Fire started 07.28.2021, 12 mi. E/NE of Boise, ID. Observed high winds with low precipitation received yesterday. Crews continue mop-up and building line depth.</li> <li>• Political Issues: Residences, outbuildings, and watershed threatened.</li> <li>• Closures/Evacuations: Forest area closure.</li> <li>• Safety Concerns: Snags, weather, terrain.</li> <li>• Critical Needs: None; maintain current resources</li> <li>• Available Resources: None</li> </ul>

		
<p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Rush Creek/ Vinegar/ Club Fires (All fires on ID-PAF)</b></p> <p><b>ICT3: Jeff Schricker</b></p> <p><b>Report Out: Dan Booth</b></p> <p><b>FIRES ARE IN A MONITOR &amp; Point Zone STATUS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rush Creek - 1,847 ac., Vinegar – 1,125 ac., Club – 227 ac. / 0% Contained/ 31 People/ \$508K Cost to Date</li><li>• 209 Changes: Suppression strategy of monitor and point zone protection.</li><li>• Synopsis: All fires are within a ~50 mi. radius of McCall, ID, and will be managed by the ICT3. Observed minimal fire growth last night towards the trigger point on the Vinegar fire yesterday; resources standing by to engage point protection as needed. Continued structure protection on Taylor Ranch and engaging with aviation resources.</li><li>• Political Issues: Private wilderness lands, (USFS) Cabin Creek Airstrip closed.</li><li>• Closures/Evacuations: Cabin Creek Airstrip, horse trails</li><li>• Safety Issues: Potential flash flooding.</li><li>• Injuries/Accidents: None</li><li>• Critical Needs: Continued aviation support and looking for 1 WFU Module</li><li>• Available Resources: None</li></ul>	







Next IC Call	8/1/2021 at 0800 MT / 0700 PT
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